FISCAL NOTE

SB 1780 - HB 1267

March 5, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires water and wastewater treatment authorities to comply with the "County Purchasing Law of 1983". This would result in competitive bidding for any purchase, lease, or lease-purchase made by the authority if the amount of the purchase meets the competitive bidding thresholds established in the "County Purchasing Law of 1983".

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Local Govt. Expenditures - Net Decrease - Exceeds \$25,000

Assumptions:

- Requiring water and wastewater treatment authorities to competitively bid certain purchases will result in an increase in local government expenditures related to the administrative costs associated with such procurements.
- Requiring water and wastewater treatment authorities to competitively bid certain purchases will result in a decrease in local government expenditures due to achieving better prices for goods.
- The net impact to local government expenditures is a decrease estimated to exceed \$25,000.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Jam W. White

James W. White, Executive Director